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Serial No.: 09/462,224

Filing Date: January 3, 2000

Examiner: Marcel H.A. Janssens

Group Art Unit: 3617

Invention: RAIL TRACK HAVING ENHANCED ABSORPTION OF VIBRATION AND SOUND

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total 6	20	0	x \$ 9.00	x \$ 18.00	\$ 0
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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim/s			+ \$140.00	+ \$280.00	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE					\$ 0

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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 400.00 is enclosed for a 2 month Petition for Extension of Time.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Group Art Unit 3617 :  
In re Application of :  
MARCEL H.A. JANSSENS : RAIL TRACK HAVING ENHANCED  
Serial No. 09/462,224 : ABSORPTION OF VIBRATION  
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Filed January 3, 2000 :  
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2001, please amend the  
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